

WHY Bessemer's Fame Belongs to America

Failure to apply for a patent on a process which revolutionized the industry of the world cost the inventor the fame, if not the financial return, to which his invention entitled him.

William Kelly, an iron manufacturer of Pittsburgh, discovered and worked out the process of steel manufacture known as the Bessemer process, but because he was slow in filing his claim for a patent, Bessemer, an English manufacturer, acquired the right to obtain the patent by proving that he was first, but nevertheless the name Bessemer has since continued for the process which Kelly worked out.

Much has been said and written of how inventors reap small reward from their ideas and comparatively spending this held true with Kelly. He did receive royalties of \$24,000 for his steel making process, but this sum is only a drop in the bucket of steel revenues.

Kelly's discovery came by chance. He noticed in a pot of molten iron one spot which glowed with incandescent heat, although no heat was being applied at the point. Investigation disclosed that a draft of air was being forced through at that particular point and he was quick to deduce that the oxygen of the air was burning the carbon in the iron ore, producing the intense heat and the resultant product which came to be known as Bessemer steel.

The first converter involving the process of blowing air through the molten iron was constructed in 1851 and the modern steel making was launched.—Washington Star.

Why Term "High Seas" Is Applied to Waterways

"Why are the oceans called 'high seas'? Where did we get that term as applied to the ocean?"

One of the definitions of the word "high" is this: "Of relatively great importance, chief; main; principal." The high seas are the main seas, just as a high road is a main thoroughfare. The term is applied to waters which do not lie within the body of a country, and are beyond the territorial jurisdiction of any government.

The United States Supreme court, though with a division of opinion, has held that the uninclosed part of the Great Lakes is included in the term "high seas," as having the general characteristics of seas and being open to the largest vessels and international trade.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Why Nicknamed "Bluenoses"
Nova Scotia got their nickname from a variety of potato known as the bluenose potato, which at one time was exported in great quantities from Nova Scotia to New England. The potato was so called from the fact that one end was usually bluish in color and the bluenose gave the name of the potato to the people who raised it. It is sometimes called bluenose because Jack Frost breathes blue noses upon most of them.—Pittsburgh Courier.

Why "Clocks" on Stockings
The narrow strips of openwork put term which run up the sides of silk stockings are a reminder of the time—as late as Queen Elizabeth's reign—when stockings were made of cloth. To make cloth stockings fit at the ankle a seam had to be made running a little way up the side of the leg. This seam was hidden by embroidery, and now long after the seam is no longer necessary, the embroidery remains.

Why Corn Pops
Corn pops because of the expansion of steam within the kernel produced by heat, and a certain amount of moisture is, therefore, lost from the popped kernel. A volatile oil is also given off as indicated by the characteristic odor of popping corn. A pound of pop corn will, therefore, weigh slightly less after it is popped, although this may not be enough to detect on an ordinary pound scale.

Why Name Was Changed
In 1824 Helena, Mont., was founded by a band of prospectors headed by John Cowan. At first it was called Last Chance Gulch, as they had been looking for gold all through the spring without success and considered this their last chance for that season. On June 15, 1824, an abundance of gold was located.

How Icebergs Are Formed
Glaciers move slowly in the shape of the ends of them are forced into the ocean. From time to time pieces break off and float away. These pieces are called icebergs.

Why Black Affects Glass
Glass covered with black paint cracks when exposed to the direct rays of the sun more readily than plain glass because black absorbs more heat rays than plain or other colored glass.

Why New York Is "Gotham"
Washington Irving, in "Ridgway's" published in 1807, gave New York the nickname "Gotham" on account of the "folly of its inhabitants."

Why Ships Are White
White has been the favored color for ships for the reason that white surfaces absorb little of the sun's heat.

County News

MILTON

Fredman Morse and family were at their home here over the week end. The Soap Club met with Cora Mills, Saturday afternoon. The next one will be with Mrs. Mildred Buck.

All mothers with children are invited to attend the Farm Bureau meeting to be held at Grange Hall, Bryant Pond, the subject being Dressing the Children.

Urban Buck is working for Howard Thornton.

Planting seems to be the order of the day, everyone is trying to do their bit.

Mrs. Mabel Mann and Mrs. Howard Gammon of West Paris visited at Edith Jackson's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Clifford of Portland were callers at Francis Lapland's Sunday.

John Sweet and son and daughter were callers at Clarence Jackson's Sunday.

HANOVER

Mrs. Roena Silver was the guest of her brother Frank Barrows in Gorham recently.

A. R. Saunders is visiting his sister in Poland this week.

Frank Russell of Norway is visiting his nephew O. P. Russell.

Addison Saunders attended the May Ball at Gorham Normal last Saturday night.

There will be the usual services next Sunday at 2:30 at the schoolhouse. This will end the services for the season. There will be special music.

Ernest Buck was in town recently. Freelon Knight was a recent guest of Arthur Howe.

John Anderson of Gorham Normal visited his friend Wallace Saunders over the week end.

Miss Georgia Abbott is a little more comfortable. Miss Chester Wheeler is assisting them with the work.

A very impressive Memorial Day Sermon was delivered Sunday by Rev. Edwards, Milan Chapin of Bethel gave one of his pleasing solos.

Clarence Longfellow was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dyer. Mr. and Mrs. John Sills and family have moved to Dixfield.

Sidney Dyke is visiting his father O. S. Dyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mills and son Milton of Norway were in town Saturday.

The Russells and party enjoyed a fishing trip to the lakes Sunday and the Saunders party spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday there.

Mrs. Leona Powers and friend, Mrs. Morrison of Tilton, N. H. were over night guests of Mrs. Alice Staples.

Clement Worcester and Miss Blanche Russell motored to Portland Friday bringing Mrs. Marion Twitcheil back with them.

Mrs. Evelyn Chase of Portland was in town Saturday.

Rowe Hill, Greenwood

The pupils of the Bryant School had a program at the cemetery last Friday. Following is the program:

Opening Song, School Quotations, Herbert Libby, Robert York, Frank York, Mabel Libby, Flag Song, School Quotations, Ronald Brooks, Beale Libby.

Reading, "One Heart", David Libby, Quotations, Vera Dunham, School Song, Reading, "The Old Soldier", Beale Libby.

Quotations, Francis Brooks, David Libby, Reading, "Bring Your Wreaths", Vera Dunham, School Song.

After the program the soldiers' graves were decorated following which a prayer was offered by the teacher, Miss Salls.

Vera Dunham won in the spelling contest the past four weeks and will receive a prize.

The Christian Endeavor prayer meeting was held at the school house as usual last Tuesday evening with Glenwood Libby leading. The subject was "Music". There were twenty present.

Mrs. Mabel Dunham was in Lewiston last Friday.

Callers at Newton Bryant's last Sunday and Monday were: Mrs. Mary Cummings, Boston, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herrick, Mechanic Falls; Mr. and Mrs. George Libby and children, Westbrook; Mr. and Mrs. Manahed Packard, Bar Harbor; Mrs. Annie Davis and Mrs. Olive Davis, South Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Lang were at Bert Lang's in West Paris Monday.

Carl Brooks was at home over Memorial Day from East Waterford.

Albert Ring is in the C. M. G. Hospital at Lewiston recovering from an operation for appendicitis. He is doing well and is expected home soon.

Mrs. Stella Ring is not on a visit to N. H. as was reported last week, on account of her son Albert being taken to the hospital.

GREENWOOD CENTER

D. R. Cole's family who have been under quarantine for scarlet fever for several weeks will be able to be out Wednesday.

Orin Cole of West Paris visited the week end with his aunt, Mrs. Nellie Martin.

A party from Berlin spent the week end at Camp Wagner.

William Bailey visited with his aunt, Mrs. Ella Bradford at North Paris over the week end.

Hiram Verrill and son Gordon of West Paris were at Eugene Elwell's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Whitman and family and Lulu Swan of Norway were at the camp over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hodgkins and family of South Portland were callers in this place recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Coolidge and family of Portland were callers at Roy Martin's Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Cole, Lorenzo Cole and children, Sherman and Priscilla, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waterhouse, Warren, Elizabeth, Myrtle, and Lloyd Waterhouse, Mrs. Eliza Morey of West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brazier, and Mrs. Bertha Sykes and son Lloyd of Portland and Ernest Martin of Norway were recent visitors at Ross Martin's.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Edna Bartlett Bean of Rumford has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Carrie Bartlett.

Miss Iva Bartlett spent the week end and Memorial Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bartlett.

Miss Esther Holt of Boston spent the holiday with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Bartlett of Framingham, Mass. spent Sunday and Monday with his mother, Mrs. Etta Bartlett.

Will Howe and daughter, Mrs. Agnes Bettlinger and two daughters of Watlington, Mass. spent the week end and holiday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hastings, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howe.

Many attended the auction held at the late Sam MayConnell place Saturday.

Mrs. Stinehour and son of Massachusetts were over the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swan.

Perkins Valley, Woodstock

Mrs. Abner Benson has been caring for Mrs. Lorenzo Cole at West Paris for about two weeks.

Hilma McKee of North Paris was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Maurice Benson.

Emil Holkkinen and Paul Urquell have taken a pulp job of Alva Hendrickson.

Alva Hendrickson sold several head of cattle to Eben Pike.

Vili Silver and Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and children were Saturday guests of Nettie Rich.

Several from here went deep sea fishing Sunday at Orr's Island and brought home around 100 pounds of fish.

Mabel Thurlow has received word that Mary May of Pigeon Hill is quite ill. The neighbors sent her a sunshine box Monday.

Nelson Perham is having lumber saved for a piazza which Clarence Perham will build for him soon.

Sam Wheeler plowed for Nelson Perham two days this week.

Leon Poland's and Walter Appleby's children are having the pink eye.

Walter Appleby lost a nice yearling heifer by poisoning.

Stella Smith and Madeline were the guests of Emma Perham, Tuesday.

GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Waterhouse and family visited relatives at West Paris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evander Whitman and son Robert were at Chatham, N. H. Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian V. Whitman and her daughter Dorothy and Robert Drummond of Medford, Mass., Miss Mary Chase also of Medford, and Miss Gwendolyn Stearns of Abington arrived Friday night for over the holiday.

Miss Alice Mundt of Worcester and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mundt and daughter of Gorham were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Mundt.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich and daughter Lois of Portsmouth, N. H. were guests at Clyde Whitman's over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnard of Bellows Falls, Vt. were Memorial Day visitors at Maurice Tyler's.

Miss Dorothy Whitman and Robert Drummond were members of a house party at the summer home of Miss Mary Chase in Upton.

Nelson Robinson of Medford, Mass. and Joseph D. Robinson of Dartmouth College were recent guests at "Camp Dorsey."

A. J. Peaslee has been employed by Frank Ordway in Gilead.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stubbs of Fitchburg and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stubbs of Milton, Mass. were in the place on Memorial Day on their way to the Flat Cemetery where their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wheeler, are buried.

Mrs. Doris Ordway Lord from Gilead was at A. J. Peaslee's one evening recently.

Mrs. E. B. Whitman, who has been afflicted with a sore throat, is more comfortable.

C. L. Whitman, is substituting for Albert Silver on R. F. D. No. 4 for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes and family from East Bethel were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Burton Abbott.

Fred and Edward Haines from East Bethel were callers at Mr. and Mrs. Burton Abbott's recently.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Lois M. Thurston late of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

WADE H. THURSTON,
Bethel, Maine.
May 17th, 1932.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty two. The following matters having been presented for action thereupon, hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1932, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

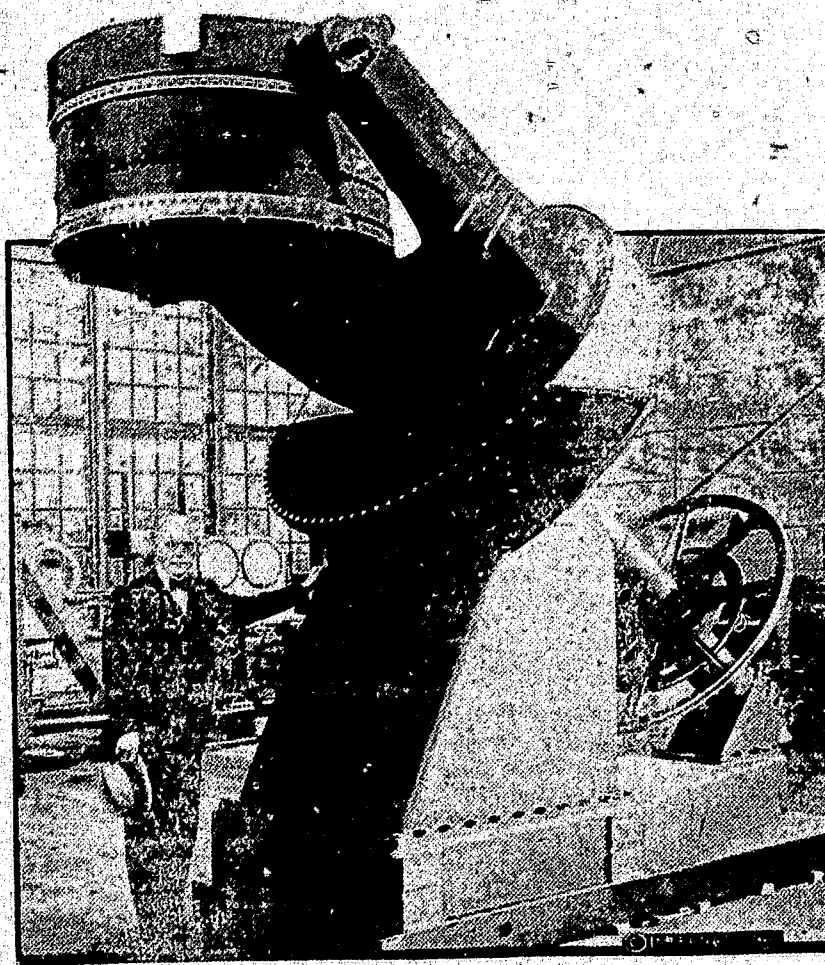
Albert F. Brooks, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Co. Petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Addie M. Brooks as executrix of the same.

To act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by said Addie M. Brooks the executrix therein named; allowance of first account presented for said account, presented for allowance by Maude A. Sanborn, administratrix.

Witness, Henry H. Hastings, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

Platform for a Huge Telescope



Dr. G. W. Ritchey, the inventor, standing in front of the 17 1/2 ton platform which was built for the 40-inch reflecting telescope for the United States naval observatory at Washington. When assembled, with its tube, the telescope is expected to increase surface intensity of star images. The telescope will be the largest of the Ritchey-Chretien type ever constructed.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Walter E. Maxim, of Bethel, County of Oxford, State of Maine, by his mortgage dated June 14th, 1913, and recorded in said Oxford County Registry of Deeds, Book 344, Page 105, conveyed to one Albert L. Swan, then of said Bethel, a certain lot or parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in said Bethel, on the southerly side of the Androsoggin River, on Bird Hill, so called, and being part of lot numbered ten in the second range of lots in said Bethel, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: All that property conveyed to the said Albert L. Swan by Viola Stone by her deed of warranty, dated October 7th, 1916, and recorded in Oxford Registry, Book 335, Page 346. Reference is made to said deed for a more complete description of said property; and whereas said mortgage was thereunto duly assigned to Herrick Brothers Company, a corporation located at

said Bethel, by said Albert L. Swan, by his deed of assignment dated May 23, 1932, recorded in said Registry, Book 343, Page 307, and was also thereafter assigned by said Herrick Brothers Company to the undersigned George S. Chapman, by deed of assignment dated July 15, 1932, recorded in said Registry, Book 359, Page 249; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken;

Now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage as follows, to-wit: All that property conveyed to the said Albert L. Swan by Viola Stone by her deed of warranty, dated October 7th, 1916, and recorded in Oxford Registry, Book 335, Page 346. Reference is made to said deed for a more complete description of said property; and whereas said mortgage was thereunto duly assigned to Herrick Brothers Company, a corporation located at

May 23d, 1932.

GEORGE S. CHAPMAN,
Justice of the Peace

Before me,
ELLEIGH C. PARK,
Justice of the Peace

State of Maine,
County of Oxford, ss. May 23, 1932.

Personally appeared the above named George S. Chapman who signed the foregoing notice and made oath to the same that it is true.

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FARM TOPICS

DAIRYING LIVE STOCK GARDENING MARKETING

FARM POULTRY

FIRST FOUR WEEKS
VITAL TO CHICKS

Start of Life Everything in
Flock's Success.

"Let me control a child's surroundings, teaching and care for the first seven years, and I won't worry about what will happen after that," a noted religious leader said.

The same could almost be said for raising chicks, provided you shorten the important period to a month. Of course, there are numerous diseases and parasites that can kill or stunt or destroy profit after one month of age, yet success with poultry is more often made or marred during the first month than during the rest of the whole raising process.

There are so many things that are tremendously important during that time that those their importance later.

Teaching good habits, such as roosting where they belong, eating and drinking out of clean containers only, keeping busy with food and fighting each other, come easy during those first few weeks, but hard afterwards. Failure to get the brooder house cleaned and litter renewed every few days is vital those first few weeks, but it is not a serious omission after the chicks are a month old, if they are properly trained as to eating, roosting and playing.—J. W. Wallace's Farmer.

All-Year Layer Counts
on Poultryman's Books

The average hen eats 75 to 90 pounds of feed per year, according to data kept on large flocks. The size of the body counts some and a heavy layer will eat more than a poor layer, but the poor producers don't eat enough less to offset the difference in the cost of "keep." The hen that lays no eggs at all through the winter requires nearly as much, just for body maintenance, as the one that lays just enough to pay her way. The latter may lay eggs enough during the spring and summer to make her profitable to keep, while the one that lays no eggs during cold weather is not worth boarding for half the year in order to get eggs in the spring.

The only hens really worth keeping are those that are able to lay all the year except during the molting period. Continual culling to eliminate poor winter layers has a very positive effect on the yearly balance.—Nebraska Farmer.

Soft-Shell Eggs

Soft-shelled eggs may result from lack of lime in the ration, a defect that can be corrected by keeping crushed oyster shells before the hens, or it may result from some inefficiency in the egg producing mechanism of the hen that is hard to assign a cause to.

Alfalfa or clover leaves from well-cared hay supply needed lime and vitamins and cod-liver oil and direct sunlight that does not come through glass helps in the utilizing of the lime and other minerals in the food. If the hens are laying soft-shelled eggs at this season of the year, I would suspect that they are not getting the crushed oyster shells that form a necessary part of poultry rations. An occasional egg of this kind may mean nothing more than an accident of production.—Rural New-Yorker.

Keep Birds Healthy

Most of the destructive fowl diseases are of bowel origin and are carried through droppings, either of domestic fowls or wild birds, and of the latter principally sparrows. These little pests also are impartial distributors of mites if permitted to nest about the buildings.

It is possible to maintain healthy profitable flocks if due attention is given to the control of parasites and prevention of disease. Many have found 1931 a profitable season, despite the low prices of eggs. Broiler prices and the prices of all poultry must not be as fairly well all summer. Feed prices also were cheaper.—Exchange.

Dried Milk With Grain

Dried milk fed with grain rations has about equal value for chicks as whole liquid milk and is fed with less fuss and less danger of attracting flies. A sticky product rather than a too fine ground dried milk powder is preferable. Meat scrap and dried skim milk in combination with the standard Wisconsin chick ration is satisfactory, but raw bone may then be omitted. But when the liquid milk is used the raw bone ought to be included.—Wisconsin Agriculturalist.

PLUMBERS ARE BLAMED FOR WOMAN'S POSTURE

Plumbers are blamed for the bent backs and round shoulders on many women by Edna M. Cobb, home management specialist for the Extension Service, who says that going back to the shop for tools by the plumber is only a minor offense compared with the way they adjust the heights of kitchen sinks.

"Kitchen sinks," she says, "should be adjusted to the woman and not try to adjust the woman to the sink."

"It should be of such height," she continues, "that the worker can use it with her shoulders erect in a natural position, not rounded or bent. The height may be tested by standing before the sink and seeing if the palms of the hands may be placed flat on the bottom of the sink without having to stoop. Then the sink should be raised or lowered accordingly."

"For the right handed person the fewest motions are involved in dish washing if the work is done from right to left—the soiled dishes placed to the right and the clean dishes to the left. It should be equipped with drain boards on both sides, but if that is not possible, a drain board on the left seems to be the most logical side. A movable table or service wagon, which can be drawn up to the side of the sink, serves as an excellent substitute for a drain board."

"No window in the kitchen is so thoroughly appreciated as the window over the sink, and grateful is the homemaker who has a view from that window of fields, or woods, or lakes, not of hastily discarded farm implements, which instead of soothing tired feelings suggests to her the need for doing another task. The window should be placed above the sink, lessening the need of constant cleaning."

The dark closet under the sink is no longer essential. The plumbing is now being left open. The elimination of the closed part of the sink removes a closet which is very difficult to keep clean, well ventilated, and in a sanitary condition. Then, too, there is sufficient space for a stool to be used comfortably."

4-H CLUB NOTES

The Oxford County 4-H Club Field Day will be at Papoose Pond on August 10. There will be events for Juniors and seniors.

In April, Mrs. Dora DeCoster, Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on Time Saving Dishwashing to the Pleasant Valley 4-H Club at West Bethel. The girls who have used this method of washing dishes are: Florice Grover, Catherine Bean, Margaret Bennett, Ida Barry, Alice Tyler, Irene Saunders.

Irene Saunders of West Bethel has done 1000 hours of housekeeping for her cooking and housekeeping project.

The Pine Tree 4-H Club at East Stoneham held a supper and social at the church vestry on May 27 and cleared \$4.00. The money will be used to help pay for materials for the club members' sewing problems.

Heavy Layers

Hens have to meet a high standard before they are used for breeding purposes at the United States live stock experiment station at Beltsville, Md. Poultry men of the Department of Agriculture choose breeding hens only from those which produce at least 225 eggs in the pullet years and whose eggs average at least 1.2 ounces in weight. These are only the chickens from hens whose eggs are at least 70 per cent hatchable. Pullets are not used in the rearing breeding pens.

Control of Worms

C. M. Ferguson, speaking of the control of worms in chickens, the Ohio Farmer reminds its readers, said control of parasites is dependent on a knowledge of the life cycle of the parasite and breaking this cycle. For this purpose confinement, range rotation, wire floors and cinder paths are beneficial. Worm remedies, says Ferguson, should not be used until one is sure that a flock is infected. Treatment should then be given according to the kind of worm found.

Poultry Notes

Success in poultry raising depends to a large extent on how well young stock is brooded and grown.

A flock of 175 White Leghorns owned by Mrs. Giffner Saunders of Oldham county, Kentucky, averaged 201 eggs each during 1931. These birds earned \$502 above feed costs.

FARM BUREAU NEWS

A visit to orchards in Buckfield showed trees to be advancing rapidly to the calyx stage. The McIntosh were particularly noticeable; many trees nearly ready and all trees of this variety ready on May 28.

The different varieties are blooming fairly close together, due to the several days of hot weather. Aphids are present but haven't started curling the leaves. Now is the time to get them.

Evidences of the frost last Monday night are everywhere. Temperatures of 24 degrees F. at South Paris did considerable damage, the extent of which can not be determined at present, but is certainly serious in some orchards. Many orchards escaped with only slight injury apparently, while others seemed hard hit, particularly on Turkey Hill, South Paris. We can only hope for the best.

The pistillate part of the flower seemed the most susceptible; in many cases the petals and much of the pollen showed little or no injury while the germ tube and ovary were turned black. This also happened on trees where petals showed absolutely no injury at all. In one orchard at South Paris, four out of every five blossoms showed darkened ovary or basal portion of the flower which forms the apple. Every orchard in the county was hit to some extent from Andover to Brownfield.

Wilson Conant, treasurer and manager of the Maine Fruit Growers' Exchange at Buckfield reports that 1931's years' sales of spray and dust materials has doubled that of previous year's sales of spray and dust materials with orchards are attempting to realize all returns possible from their trees during these difficult times.

Dairymen are doing everything possible to make their herds pay, as shown by the response to the new Dairy Record Club being sponsored by directors of the Dairy Herd Improvement Association and under the direction of our County Agriculture Extension Agent. Already 26 dairymen have come forward for this milk testing service which will cover all points in the county. The essential difference between this and the D. H. I. Ass'n, is that the tester does not visit each herd monthly but maintains a laboratory where all samples are tested and records computed by mail. The dairyman receives the same detailed information on milk and butterfat production and feed costs per cow at a cost considerably under that of the Herd Improvement Association. Seventy-five per cent of the dairy cows in Oxford County should be under test by this method is the belief of County Agent Ridley.

Following are names of those to date who will receive the test. The 26 men have 260 cows or an average of 10 cows per herd. Herds range from 5 to 23 cows each.

Warren Richardson, E. Brownfield; A. P. Stearns, Jr., South Paris; Earl Ellrich, Rumford Point; F. H. Goddard & Son, Rumford; C. A. N. Cairns, South Paris; Ernest Davis, South Paris; Guy Curtis, Norway; Wm. Littlehale, West Paris; Alfred Andrews, West Paris; Earl Treworgy, West Paris; W. F. Nottage, South Paris; W. C. Knightly, South Paris; L. Nell Lovejoy, South Paris; Carroll R. King, South Paris; A. L. Sanderson, Harrison; E. E. Allen, East Stoneham; Eugene L. Flint, Lovell; Earl P. Osmond, Fryeburg; Elmer G. Richardson, Denmark; C. E. Cobb, Denmark; Ralph Deering, Bridgton; G. E. Bessey, Buckfield; Herbert Evans, Bridgton; Bertrand C. Buck, Buckfield; Charles W. Cooper, Buckfield; Marshall Howard, East Andover.

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SPECIALIST TELLS WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN REFRIGERATORS

Refrigerators and ice boxes are symbols of winter, believes Edna M. Cobb, home management specialist for the Extension Service, who says that while unearthing last year's ice card we should remember that the sole object of refrigeration is to preserve foods by keeping the temperature low. Fifty degrees, she says, is the maximum temperature that government research has fixed for meats, milk and many other foods.

She continues: It depends upon the selection, the operation, and the care of the refrigerator to maintain this temperature. In selecting a refrigerator, one obviously considers size, shape, material, and above all insulation, but sometimes seemingly minor things go unnoticed. For example—the size, the shape, and fittings of the doors. Doors should be hung so that they will swing closed from the lightest push, equipped with self-closing catches so they will stay closed, and the edges of the doors lined with rubber or felt so they will be practically sealed when closed. No matter how well insulated the box itself may be, if there is a seepage of air around the edges, refrigeration will not be complete. Another point to bear in mind is this—if an ice box is described as having a 75-pound capacity, see to it that the door is of the size and shape that 75 pounds can be inserted easily. Since the space immediately below the ice chamber is the coldest place, this space should be sufficiently high to take quart milk bottles and the door of such size and shape that the bottles may be moved in and out without tipping them. Enamel linings are easiest to take care of and the hardware of a good ice box should be of material that does not rust, preferably nickel.

Remembering to close refrigerator doors tightly, opening them no oftener than is absolutely necessary, keeping all compartments clean, wiping up anything spilled at the time it is spilled, and keeping drain pipes from becoming clogged will help your ice box to give you maximum service.

Buckfield Busybodies are to have a halter making contest. Some of the boys of this club are taking the Dairy project.

At a recent meeting of the Buckfield Busybodies 4-H Club at West Buckfield, Richard Starvante read a paper on Pig Raising.

NORTHWEST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stearns of Hanover, were callers on friends Monday.

Mrs. Fred Chapman spent a few days last week in Portland and Scarborough.

Dan Sheehen of Harvard, Mass., called at Herman Skillings' Monday. Floyd Coolidge is planting potatoes for Mr. Hodgman.

Lester Mason is working for H. A. Skillings.

NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Hand of Dixfield have moved into the rent in Mrs. Carrie French's house.

Mr. and Mrs. French have moved the household goods of Mrs. Adney Tuell to their house here at the farm.

The State road men began work in town last Tuesday morning. They moved the steam shovel from Hanover Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Brinck and family were in town calling last Monday evening.

Mr. Warren of Upton who has bought the sea house at Newry Corner is making great improvements, building over night camps and digging a well to have plenty of water to use.

H. R. Powers and family were at Silver Lake last Sunday to see the seaplane.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Powers were Sunday callers at P. M. Walker's.

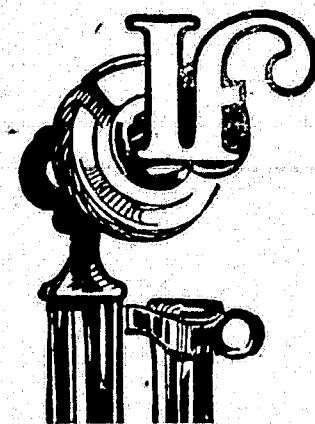
Mr. and Mrs. Irving French were in West Paris one day last week.

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ELECTRIC EYE WILL BE USED IN SORTING MAIL. Postal employees about railroad terminals will be relieved of considerable work and time saved by the recent development of the photoelectric cell or "electric eye," as the device is frequently referred to. It has now been assigned to the work of routing mail sacks. Each sack is loaded with mail for one city. When the sack is full it is placed in a tray container, which travels on an automatic conveyor system of the overhead monorail type. The containers are made up into "trains" pulled along at about five miles an hour by a motor-driven car, as many as 50 containers making up a train. As the train goes by the mail sacks are automatically sorted and dropped on the loading platform near the proper railway cars. In a demonstration arrangement in Cincinnati there were 34 possible destinations for the mail trays. The light source (which actuates the photoelectric relay) at each railway mail car was arranged to shine its beam on a different plane from all the others and at one or the other of two angles in order to cause delivery of any given sack of mail at a particular destination. It is merely necessary to set the photoelectric tube on a suitable plane and at the proper angle to intercept a particular light beam, and no other. Thus only those mail sacks whose photoelectric tubes are correctly set are delivered. If the tubes are set correctly the mail is automatically delivered.

How Correspondents at

"The Front" Sent News

How Shanghai war news gathered by reporters on the battle front was spread by cable, radio and telegraph to American newspapers a half hour after the news happened, was described by the Rochester Chamber of Commerce by Raymond Clapper, Washington manager of the United Press. The news could come over any one or all of four routes, he said. "The urgent rate for such messages is \$2.31 a word by way of London and \$2.19 a word by way of the Pacific," he said. "When all four routes were used for the same message, to insure fastest possible delivery, the total cost was about \$9 for each word."

How Marbles Are Made

Marbles may be made of baked clay, marble, agate, or glass. In Saxony they are made of the enormous stone, which is first broken up into small pieces, and the blocks thrown 100 to 150 together into a mill which is a stationary flat slab of stone. Over this a block of oak of the same diameter is kept rotating while water flows upon the stone slab. In 15 minutes the marbles are worn completely round and are fit for sale. Agates are made into marbles by first chipping the pieces nearly round with a hammer and then wearing them down upon the face of large grindstones.

How Ozarks Got Name

"Ozarks," the name of a chain of mountains in southern Missouri, northern Arkansas and eastern Oklahoma, is an Anglicized rendering of "Aux Arcs." Literally meaning "with bows," a term which the early French applied to a band of Quapaw Indians who inhabited that region. "Aux Arcs," pronounced "ozark," was descriptive of the Indians and was equivalent to English "bow carriers." The French established a trading post called Aux Arcs near the present village of Arkansas Post—Pathfinder Magazine.

How Quicksands Form

Quicksands usually occur on flat shores underlain by stiff clay or other impervious materials. They appear to be formed by the continued collection of water within the sand bank which is prevented from running off by the underlying impervious layer. The grains of quicksand have rounded surfaces. The infiltrated water separates and lubricates the particles rendering them unable to support heavy weight.

How Trail Was Named

When the geological survey was making observations of the district in which the Grand canyon is located it came to a dirty, unsavory-looking stream which was called the Dirty devil. Some weeks later the party came to a clear, beautiful stream running down a gorgeous canyon, and to express their relief this was called the Bright Angel creek. The trail is named for this.

How to Clean Gift Frames

A good method of cleaning gift frames is to go over the gift with a dry cloth to remove all dust. Then wash with warm water in which a medium-sized onion has been boiled. Rub dry with soft cloth.

How Plants "Breathe"

Plants breathe much the same as animals, and there are two processes at work, for while they give off more oxygen than carbon dioxide during the day, at night they may give off more carbon dioxide.

How Camels Consume Humps

The humps of the camel are stores of flesh and fat that can be reabsorbed to support the animals when there is sufficient food.

FAMILY TRAITS

By H. IRVING KING

"NETTIE HAVENS has got a beau at last!" The news was all over the town. It was rather an important piece of news, too, for Nettie owned a full dozen or more houses, was a stockholder in the local bank and ran the "Emporium," the biggest department store in town.

Nettie was all business. From the time she was sixteen until her father's death she had been his business associate, and after his death had gone right on managing for herself. No time for frivolity and love making had Nettie had. Her mother had died soon after her father, and Nettie lived alone with a couple of old servants in a great Colonial house on the hill, a fine old mansion—but it needed painting.

At sixteen Nettie had come back from the school on a vacation, outwardly all that her mother could wish. She was not exactly what you would call a beauty, but she was comely enough and art and cultivation had rendered her a being of whom her mother said: "She could shine in any drawing-room. A few years more and she will be perfect."

But Nettie announced that she was not going back to school. She had had enough of it. She wanted to learn her father's business so that she would be able to handle it when, in the course of time—which she graciously said she hoped would be a long time—it came into her hands. Her mother had wept. Just as Nettie had aroused in her the only ambition she ever had in her life she now caused her to experience the only grief that she had ever known. What Jonathan thought about it did not count. He was rather disappointed on account of his wife; but he was secretly satisfied on his own account. So that is how Nettie Havens came to go into business. She dressed plainly, almost shabbily; wore her hair in an unbecoming manner, seemed to delight in making herself look as plain as she could—and succeeded admirably. She laid her little, pleasing airs and graces away in moth balls and became a sharp, decisive young person; no nonsense, all business.

And now Nettie at thirty—and looking forty—was a rich woman. But in spite of her wealth the young man of the town would no more have thought of making love to her than they would have thought of making love to an adding machine. There was the goggle-eyed, an anemic, young man with adenoids, to be sure, who officiated as her chief clerk and who, often wished in secret that he could muster up enough courage to ask her to be his bride, but she! Philander Liscomb could not muster up enough courage to say "no" to a goose; much less enough to propose to Nettie Havens.

On her thirtieth birthday Nettie, coming into her store and walking slowly down the main aisle and looking about with keen business scrutiny, was suddenly aware of a young man, about thirty-five years old, well dressed and bearing every mark of breeding, standing at the glove counter. Passing through the town he had accidentally lost one of his driving gloves out of his car, a bright blue roadster which stood outside, and stopped to get a new pair. Nettie gasped—then stood stock still and stared. He turned and saw her. A look of recognition gradually came into his eyes.

Nettie was the first to speak. "Basil," said she, "come into my office—I want to speak to you." He bowed and followed her. "Take a seat," she commanded. "You haven't changed much, Basil," she said, looking at him intently; "a little older looking, of course—but to me you look just the same as you did fourteen years ago."

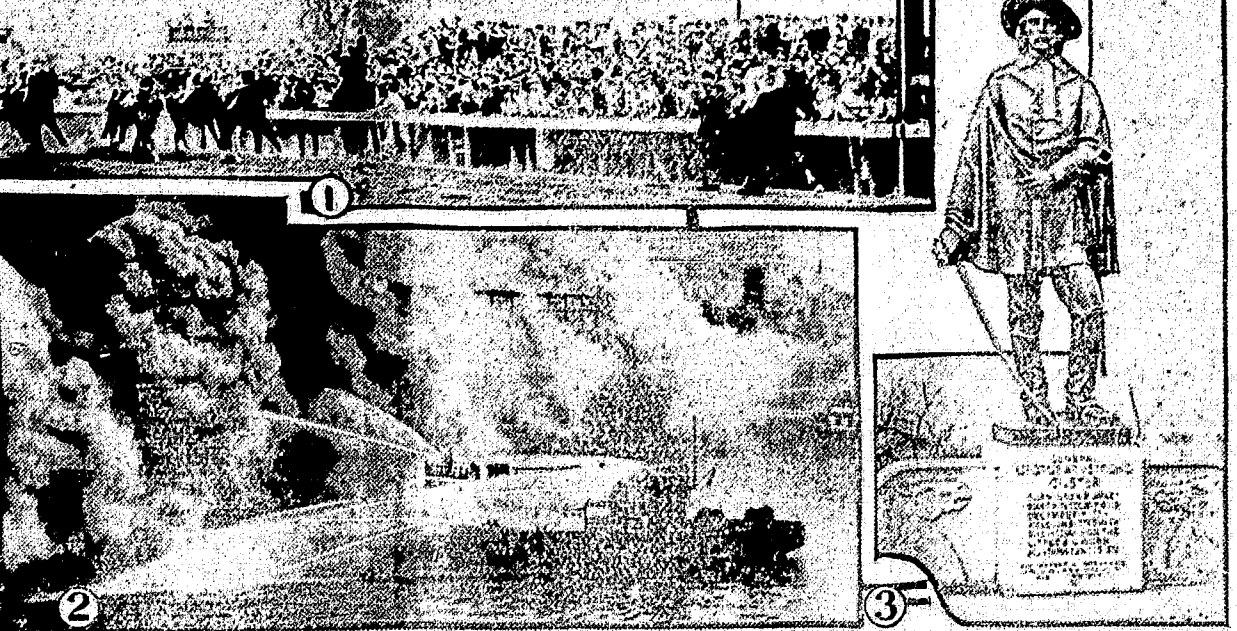
"There is one thing, Nettie," he replied. "In which I have not changed and never shall; my love for you." "It is pleasant, of course," she replied, "to hear you say so; but fourteen years is a long time, and I have changed. Can you not see it?" "In appearance, yes," he answered. "You look old and worn, and tired—and lonely. Oh Nettie, why did you throw me over the way you did? You know there was nothing in the absurd story to excite your jealousy."

"I have found it out since," said she slowly. "But I was young and foolish then, only sixteen. And now it is too late. But we shall be friends just the same, shall we not?" "Friends?" he cried. "We shall be more than friends."

"Philander," said Nettie to her adolescent clerk a few days later, "do you think you could run this shop if I gave you full charge of it?" Philander mumbled enough to reply to the affirmative. "Well," she went on, "I am going away for two months. Do the best you can."

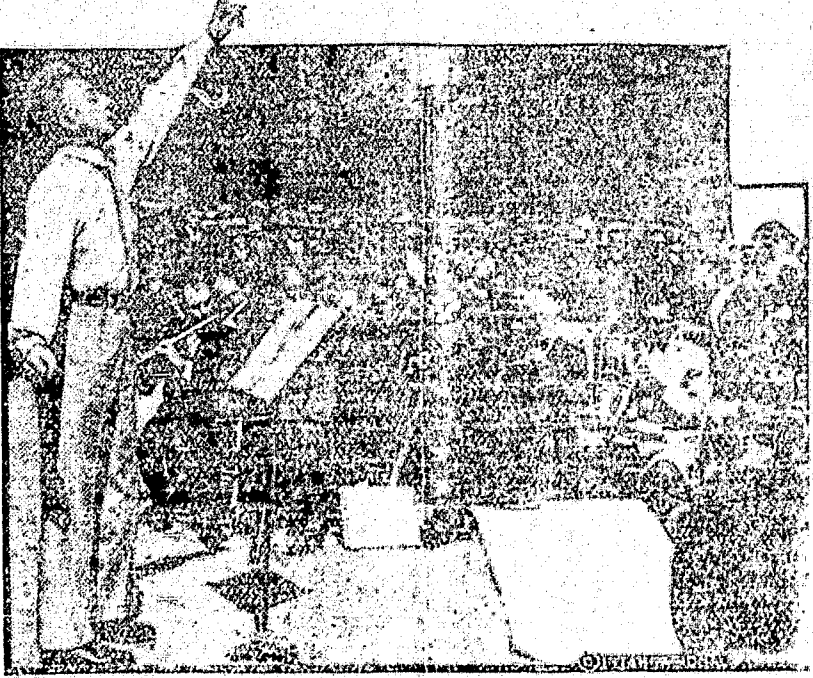
For two months Nettie was seen no more by her wondering townsmen. Then she reappeared as Mrs. Basil Liscomb, sold out the shop to a syndicate, rehabilitated the old mansion and brought the good old days back there. She reappeared in society looking ten years younger than she had as a business woman, took on again the grace and the high breeding of her mother, and was the best dressed woman to be met with anywhere.

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—Burgess King, owned by Col. Edward R. Bradley, winning the Kentucky Derby at Louisville. 2—Spectacular fire that destroyed Pier 41 of the Cunard line at New York. 3—Heroic statue of Gen. George A. Custer, by E. P. Frey, which is to be unveiled June 22 at New Rumley, Ohio, birthplace of the famous Indian fighter.

Stokowski Leading a Jobless Band



Leopold Stokowski, musical director of the Philadelphia orchestra and of concert-givers throughout the world, is shown conducting a band composed of some 200 jobless musicians, on the steps of Philadelphia's city hall. The concert was a triumph for Mayor Moore in a speech and stated the city fathers would not allow even Stokowski to give music away free in Tenthman plaza. The city fathers showed that they were not afraid and that they enjoyed the music in the bargain.

GIFT OF ITALIANS



This fine statue of Christopher Columbus is the gift of the Italian residents of Chicago to the Century of Progress exposition. It will cost \$50,000 and will have a permanent site in Chicago.

OUTSTANDING ATHLETE



Bernard Reeling is shown above with the trophy inscribed to "America's outstanding athlete" after it was presented to him at a testimonial dinner at the Penn Athletic club, Philadelphia. This James E. Sullivan award is one of the most coveted trophies of the country's realm of athletics.

GOVERNOR OF SAMOA

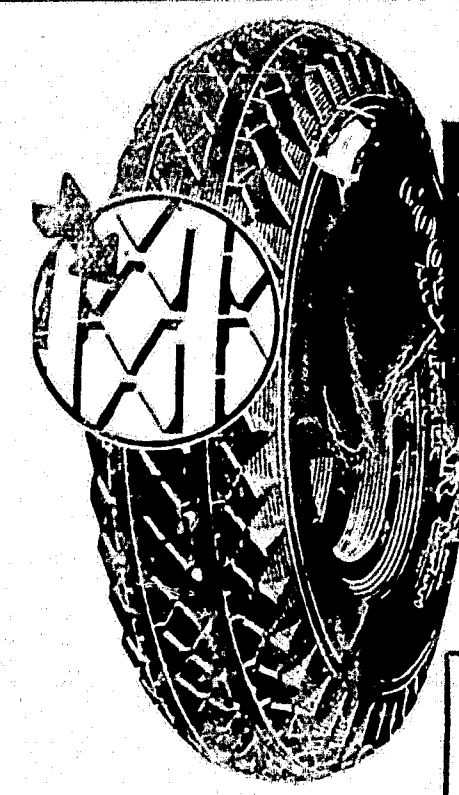


Capt. George B. Landeberger, U. S. N., newly appointed governor of American Samoa, will sail for Pago Pago, June 3, on the Matsien liner Monterey, from San Francisco. Captain Landeberger served ten months as assistant commander of the Fifth Naval district in the China zone and before that was commander of the U. S. S. Albatross.

Where She Got It

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For the Children's Sake

By FANNIE HURST

ANN, MEREDITH'S marriage was one of those runaway affairs. She met Donald Murtie on a Sunday and married him that day.

Her friends and some of his, said he was too good for him. Meaning at up to the time of her marriage would have been what might be called prodigious power of wild oats.

Ann knew this, after a fashion, and her sweet eyes were alight with the temptation to reform Donald. She wanted him for love. She could not let him go with that love.

In whatever fashion Ann was to be a loser by this marriage, she bet herself economically. Donald was a born money-maker. As his friends said of him, about everything he touched turned to gold. Donald was a little the worse for drink, could not get a better bargain than most men the power of their full faculties.

Ann up to the time of her marriage had been a sort of housewife in a large uptown department store in Urban City. One of those great shops of convenience that occasionally the residential districts of large towns. The kind of shops that cater to the housewife who does not have time for the long trip to the downtown districts.

After her marriage, Ann lived in a very stone-facaded, ten-room home in a residential district where heavy traffic was forbidden.

But almost from the first, the reputation did not pan out as Ann had dreamed it would. Donald was as set in his ways as he was wild in his ways. From the very first he began to come home roaring drunk two and three times a week. The lovely home that Ann had taken such pride in creating became a storm center of the most painful and difficult scenes from the very first. It was almost with horror that Ann regarded the coming of her first child. But for a while, about a year after its arrival, a change came about in Donald. He seemed amiable, chastened, deeply contrite and love with the mother of his lovely little daughter, and for a brief twelve-month the pretty home became something of the thing Ann had dreamed it might be.

The coming of her second child was a period of happiness and thanksgiving for Ann. Life assumed a tranquillity and a beauty. Donald, who could be very, very nice when he was sober, was not only the provider magnificent, but for three months after the coming of the little boy remained devoted husband and father.

Then one night Donald came home drunk.

With her heart in her mouth Ann greeted this sudden strange horror of a companion of hers and made up her mind to fight a valiant fight with him and nip in the bud the possibility of a return to his habits of debauchery. There were tears and reconciliation after that dreadful night. But something had snapped in Donald. Not only did the drinking continue, but Donald became untrue and faithless to Ann in the most flagrant and offensive sense of the word.

Poor Ann, sometimes she was obliged to hold her head up and pretend not to be seared with insult when these companions of Donald's passed her with him on the very streets of the city in which they lived.

The next five years of her life became a nightmare.

It was Ann's horror, it was Ann's humiliation to see her lovely children constantly subjected to the spectacle of a maudlin father and of home scenes of high, angry and bitter words that should never have reached their tender little ears.

In vain Ann sought to avoid these scenes, preferring often to suffer in silence than to subject her sensitive little girl and boy to the gross spectacle of a family row. Because that was all they could ever amount to, with Donald half crazed with drink and bear eyed, from too much dissipation and too little sleep.

"Why doesn't she leave him?" said some of Ann's friends. On the other hand, those of her more conservative notions, owing to religious scruples and fear of public opinion, advised her to stick it out for the children's sake.

"For the children's sake" was a phrase that lay constantly on poor Ann's bitter lips. If not for her children, she would never have endured this. If not for the indignity of visiting upon these innocent little products of her unfortunate alliance the stigma of the public separation of their parents, Ann would have gone back to her old position long ago.

She did not crave divorce. She, too, had certain religious scruples, and, besides, it seemed to her that she could never again have sufficient faith in the married state to try it with another. No, Ann was not for divorce. All she secretly craved was respite from the indignities Donald continued to heap upon her and, above all, upon her children.

And yet in Ann's heart the fear for the stigma of separated parents was even greater.

For six years the condition worsened. The little, blue-eyed doll of a child whom Donald adored when sober, had generally been reared in a home of

snarling domestic tragedy. Bobbie, the boy, could tell by the sound of father's feet on the stairs when he was returning home drunk, and would run screaming and sobbing to his mother's side.

Gathering these babies to her, sometimes it seemed to Ann that her hands were dark with sin for having brought them into the world. What mattered it that their home was lovely? That their father, when sober, adored and pampered them?

The atmosphere of that home was drenched in horror. When their father came into it, he smothered his children by his very presence.

One evening, such a shocking scene took place in that home—when Donald returned to it in the company of one of the women of dreadful finery he was known to associate with—and entered the very room in which his children and wife were having their dinner—that without taking time to contemplate the results, Ann packed up her children, bag and baggage, and with them left the house.

She went back to a boarding house she had lived in during the years of her work in the uptown department store.

The next day Ann sent for her nurse from the house she had left, and engaged her to take care of the children in the rooming house while she sought out a position.

The old store was glad to take her back. At an increased salary, a sufficient increase to enable Ann to keep the nurse maid and leave her children in the care of this reputable woman while she went daily to her work.

It was not the ideal environment. But the two small boarding-house rooms responded to chintz and white paint, and when Ann returned to them evenings, she did so secure in the knowledge that her children's little ears would know only her loving greetings and that their little hearts could expand in an atmosphere of peace and love.

No, it is by no means the ideal solution. Ann's struggle is a bitter one. She will not accept help from Donald for the children. But the two little rooms represent something that the big house never boasted. Tranquility. The secure knowledge that the delicate growing minds of her Bobby and Adele will know only the sunlight of harmony and the kind of gentle environment that it is Ann's life hope to provide them with.

Now, as Ann looks back upon it all, upon the turbulence of the years, the agonized moments of indecision, the fear of making the break from the so-called security her husband's board-and-keep gave her in the community, she realizes that the cruel thing to her children would have been to remain with them there. Vassals to a father who could provide for them only with the material things of life. Prisoners in a home where their little spirits were hourly subjected to the withering environment of disharmony and ugliness.

Ann's children no longer hear words of bicker and anger. Ann's children no longer run terrified at the sound of a step upon the stairs. Beauty thrives in those boarding-house rooms. The beauty of peace and contentment.

It is said of Donald Murtie that he has since come to his senses and that a strangely sobered and regretful man is making every possible advance to his wife in the hope of regaining her confidence and resuming life with her on a sound and fresh basis.

Whatever Ann's ultimate decision, she starts for her work each morning with a high head and a high heart. In her opinion she has kept her self respect.

In her opinion she has done the right thing by her children.

Survived Despite Lack of Hygienic Knowledge

Considering how little primitive man knew about hygiene, he managed to keep living, didn't he? It is this monumental fact that fortifies our belief in an overruling and omnipresent Providence. Something must have preserved man in the midst of his ignorance and comparative helplessness. He died of his diseases, but somehow enough adults survived to carry on the race and increase it.

One has only to read Doctor Cienfuegos' eye-opening and mouth-opening (for the doctor is a humorist) article in the Forum to learn that ancient man, from the beginning, was full of physical faultiness. His dis-interred bones show it and many of the Egyptian mummies bear the marks of rheumatism. The life of bad teeth resulted in the same maladies they do now—and Doctor Cienfuegos observes that at least one exalted Egyptian suffered from blackheads.

Whether he employed sorcery or a face cream cannot now be determined, but either was futile.

Early man did not live long, but he "lived dangerously," as Nietzsche invites us to do. Whatever ailment he contracted, quickly killed him. Still the race "muddled through."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Tree's Commercial Value

The Spanish cedar is one of the most highly esteemed lumber trees of the West Indies. Its most important commercial use is for the manufacture of cigar boxes. Planted as a protection on the coffee trails it grows rapidly but not so large as to completely shade out the coffee plants.

Many of the large coffee-shading trees of various species were blown down by hurricanes of recent years. Old cedar trees 4 to 6 feet in diameter and 50 to 100 feet high were common in Porto Rico before the virgin forests of the island were cut.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Fuller and Mrs. Brewster of Sebattus spent Decoration Day with her aunt.

Mrs. Cross and daughter spent the week end with her daughter May in Arlington.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham of Lockes Mills spent a few days with her parents on Howe Hill.

Dick Laurence was in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Croteau were callers at his brother's recently.

Myke Lyden and family of Portland were in this vicinity Monday.

Ernest Cole is working in Grafton. Tom Green of Bryant Pond was in town recently.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cole and Elizabeth were at Rumford Tuesday with friends from Massachusetts.

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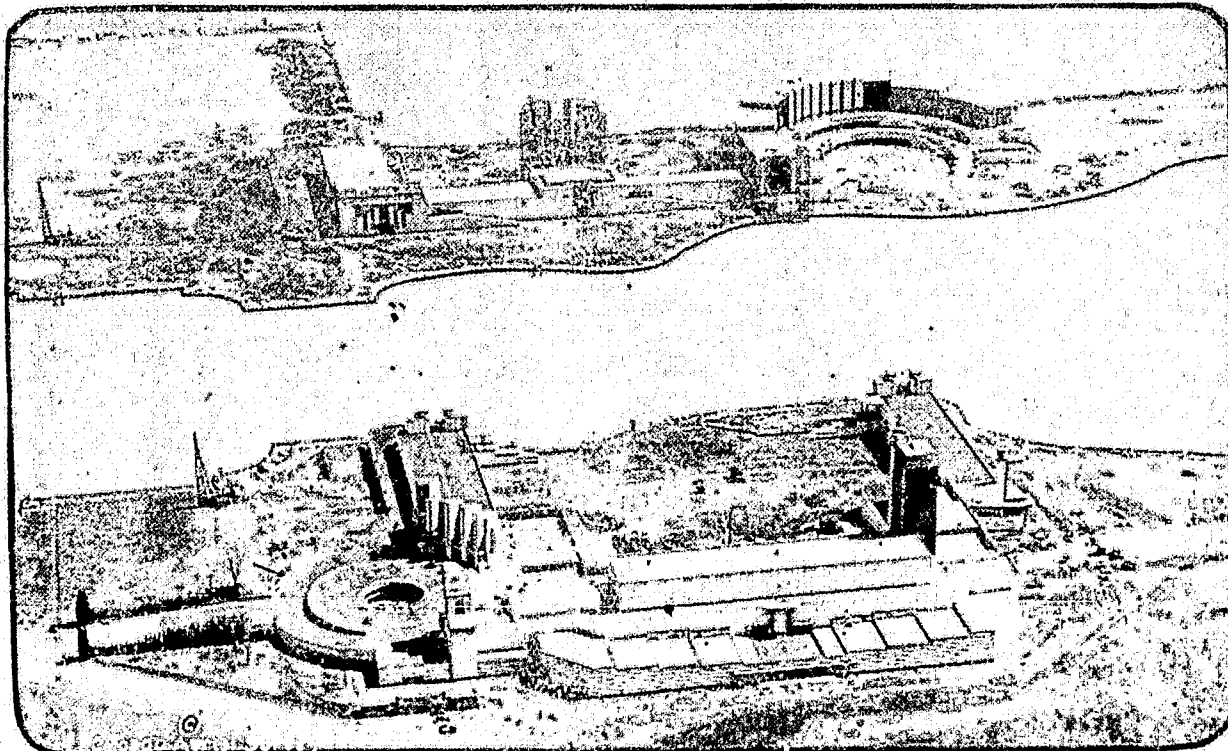
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Two Governors Dedicate a New Highway



Governors Pollard of Virginia and Blackwood of South Carolina dedicating the Piedmont highway, U. S. Route No. 29, which runs from Washington, south through the Carolinas, Virginia, Georgia and Alabama. With them are the five sponsors from those states. The event was celebrated at Ash Lawn, near Charlottesville, in honor of James Monroe, the fifth President of the United States.

Striking Buildings of Chicago World's Fair



Facing each other across the lagoon of A Century of Progress (Chicago's 1933 World's Fair) are these two striking structures—the sickle-shaped electrical group on northerly island and the U-shaped hall of science.

The Big Parade

The buyer today should not fare forth with uncertainty when making a purchase. The merchants most considerate of the interests of their customers and themselves each week have in the Citizen's columns an opportunity to present a message to their customers, setting forth their wares in a pleasing weekly parade before the Citizen's readers.

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FOR SALE—Filled Hard Wood, 470 cord. Slabs and edgings, \$5.00. Few good trades in second hand cars. **BEAN, Bethel.** 281

FOR SALE—A Wilber Piano, practically new, in good condition. Reasonable Price. Alice Littlehale, Vernon Street. 8p

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WANTED—To hire one or two good men for Hallowell routes. Apply to E. F. Thomas, Bethel. 19p

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TO LET—On Mt. Ida, a seven room house, shed, and stable. Very reasonable rates. Inquire at the Citizen office. 8p

I will serve meals and deliver home cooked food. Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mason Street. Phone 52-4. 41

Guns, Rifles, Ammunition and Traps—Supplies, bought, sold and exchanged. H. I. BEAN, Fur Buyer and Lumber Dealer, Bethel, Maine. 231

Born

In Norway, May 1, to the wife of Guy P. McAllister, a daughter.

In Norway, May 29, to the wife of Charles H. Hall, a son.

In Sweden, May 13, to the wife of Charles Carley, a daughter Jean Barbara.

In Lewiston, May 29, to the wife of Herman A. Woodman of Norway, a daughter, Nancy Steele.

Married

In Norway, May 25, by Rev. C. H. Thelmer, Louis Kirchner of South Paris and Margaret L. Russell of Norway.

In Mechanic Falls, May 21, by Rev. Frank W. Lamb, Henry C. Ames of South Paris and Mrs. Louise Thomas of Norway.

In South Paris, May 21, by Rev. C. H. Thelmer, Ernest Brink of Newry and Miss Dorothy May, Planners of Bethel.

Died

In Lewiston, May 26, Nancy Steele, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Woodman of Norway.

In South Paris, May 27, Mrs. Nell D. Hickey, aged 56 years.

In West Paris, May 28, Chas. H. Newell, aged 74 years.

In South Paris, May 29, Mrs. P. McDuffie, aged 77 years.

In Bethel, May 27, William L. Chapman, aged 64 years.

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NOTICE OF LOST HAND BOOK
Lost my hand book, which has been used for the past several years. If found, please return to the Citizen Office.

A large lot of shoes, hats, etc., at a discount at People's Store. A call was made to the store and the shoes were sold at a discount. The shoes were sold at a discount.

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PHONE UTOPIA SEEN
RAPIDLY NEARINGConnections With Foreign
Countries Is Forecast

Washington.—The "telephone utopia," or a time when all telephones in all nations can be connected, is rapidly nearing in the opinion of engineers who, recently celebrated the fifty-seventh anniversary of use of the speaking device in the United States.

Already telephone users in the United States can converse with users in 40 other countries located on the six other continents. These connections comprise a network of 32,750,000 telephones, or more than 62 per cent of all such instruments in the world. It will be only a short time until virtually all of the remaining connections will be possible in the opinion of government communications experts.

Four Countries Left
There remain only four countries having more than 100,000 telephones with which the United States does not have connections. These are China, Japan, Russia, and South Africa. The link with the last named is likely to be completed within the current year and that with Japan should require only a relatively few months more, according to Stanley Shoup of the communication division of the Commerce department.

All this development has come since March 10, 1875, when Alexander Graham Bell, then a youthful scientist, and a companion conversed for the first time in this country through electrically wired apparatus in Boston.

Today four radio-telephone circuits connect the United States with Europe, and it is expected that a transatlantic telephone cable will be completed during this year.

Development
Most of the international development of telephony has come since 1922. At that time there were only two countries connected with the United States. They were Cuba and Canada. The United States is now connected with virtually every country in Europe, with Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Mexico, and Cuba in Latin America; with Java, Sumatra, and Indonesia in Asia; with China in Spanish Morocco, Africa; with New Zealand and Australia.

During the last year communications were made with Hawaii, thus thrusting vocal communications nearly 2,000 miles out into the Pacific on the way to the final goal of China and Japan.

The telephone industry now ranks as one of the leading ones in the United States in points of assets. Its investments amounted to \$2,250,000,000 in 1929 and officials of the Department of Commerce estimate that it spends \$200,000,000 a year in improvements alone.

Kansas Wants Data on
State's Old Sod Houses

Topeka, Kan.—Kirk Mechem, secretary of the Kansas State Historical society, is in a dilemma. He wants to build a sod house and doesn't know how.

The history books say that the Kansas prairies were dotted with sod houses and that thousands of early day Kansans lived in them.

Mechem, who calls for much familiarity with the history books, decided to build a sod house in the state museum. But he can't find anyone who knows how to build them.

Other states, including Kansas, have laws, and a code of sod house construction, but have not one of the typical "sod houses" that he to build one is the question.

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WHY
Handle of Woodsman's Ax
Is Curved

There are several reasons why the handle of an ax is curved. More work can be obtained from an ax with a curved handle than from one with a straight handle.

In the first place the shape of a half-strung bow renders the handle stronger and less likely to snap when in use, as the double curve gives it added flexibility, enabling it to give in either direction under the strain of the woodman's blow. Then the curved handle enables the ax-head to be swung through a greater distance than if it were on a straight handle, so in increasing its momentum. Finally, when the blow has been skillfully made and the blade is driven deep into a tree, the bent handle gives a better leverage for removing the ax. With the angle of the blade for a fulcrum and the head of the blade for the weight, the bent handle obviously gives a longer arm, and therefore greater power than a straight one could.

Why Salty Tears Seem
to Bolster "Evolution"

If we accept the theory advanced by Dr. Laurence D. Redway of Ossining, N. Y., our salty tears are evidence of our once marine existence. Before the American Association of Physical Anthropologists meeting at the National museum in Washington Doctor Redway told how human tears and even the human eye can be traced back to the days "when you were a fish and I was a tadpole." as it were. This, of course, is based on the theory that all life arose out of the primeval ocean. Our eyes, he contends, have never reached complete independence of the sea. Therefore, he claims the body has been forced to manufacture its own supply of sea water. In the form of tears, ever since it became adjusted to dry land environment.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Why Dove Is Symbol
of Peace

The gull or gull-bird is present in most vertebrates, but it is absent from all doves and pigeons. It is a sac in which the bile secreted by the liver is stored until required for use in the digestive processes. Since the bile is a bitter fluid the gull is popularly regarded as the seat of bitterness and bad temper. The absence of this organ in the dove, combined with its inoffensive nature, led the ancients to adopt it as the symbol of meekness and the emblem of peace. In Christian literature and art the dove symbolizes the Holy Ghost.—Exchange.

Why Plaster Cracks

The bureau of standards says that cracks in plaster are divided into three general classes: (1) Structural cracks, due to some movement of the structural members of the building; (2) map cracks, which are usually caused by a lack of uniformity in the bond between the backing and the scratch coat; and (3) shrinkage cracks, which in a white coat indicate that it was troweled too soon.

Why Oil Well Flows

Gas pressure forces oil upward. When the gas in a well is exhausted, the oil ceases to flow. It is estimated that only one-fifth of the oil in a pool is thus forced to the surface. Lately, oil companies have learned to capture the gas and pump it back into the oil pool, where it becomes a "water bed."

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, the Divine Master has entered our rank and removed from us our beloved sister, Grace Barnett, to the Great Temple above.

Resolved, that Miamokwa Temple has lost a good sister, and while we sorrow at our loss, we must bow to the will of Him who does all things well.

God knows the way. He holds the key. Guides the wandering hand. Shows day with cheer and gentleness. We will love and understand.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, as a token of love and sympathy; that they be spread upon our records and that a copy be sent to the Oxford County Citizen for publication.

Attest: Alice Staples, Minnie Bennett, David Gosselin, Committee on Resolutions.

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CAROL'S ESCAPADES
RESENTED BY ARMYMarshal Rebuked as He Pens
Hints of Dethronement

Geneva.—King Carol's uneasy throne shows no symptoms of shakiness, not the least of which is a growing discontent in the Rumanian army.

Reports percolating from Bukharest weeks ago hinted trouble ahead, but a "history parable" published in Bukharest by the fearless, blunt Marshal Averescu said in so many words that Rumania's army no longer gets its pay regularly and is "discontented."

Averescu even hinted at the dethronement of Carol, with the result that members of parliament felt it necessary to rebuke him and give three rousing cheers for the king.

Among diplomats here, however, the marshal's "history parable" was of particular interest because it seemed to confirm reports via Paris that palace intrigue in Bukharest had developed to the point where Prince Nicholas felt duty bound to warn party leaders to "act quickly" if they wanted to save the dynasty.

Nicholas was quoted as saying that Mme. Magda Lupescu and other intimates of the king "control all his actions, and unless halted will surely drive both him and the dynasty to ruin." He is expected to return to Bukharest within a few days.

Besides the flaming-haired Lupescu the chief intriguers included, according to this report, Dumitrascu, the king's private secretary, and a Mme. Wiedner, intimate friend of Lupescu. Queen Helena, Carol's divorced wife, visited him and her son, Prince Michael, and a reconciliation was hinted.

Now Marshal Averescu's parable says not a word directly about King Carol. It is merely a series of extracts from historical volumes, all bearing on the sad fate of Prince Alexander Cuza, first ruler of Rumania, who lost his throne in a popular revolution in February, 1859.

"It was just 60 years ago today," writes the marshal, "that Alexander Cuza lost the throne of the Rumanian princes."

"The veteran then goes on to cite excerpts from this and that historical—excerpts with not overtones of modern applicability. For instance:

"To failed to restore the country's economic equilibrium. Such measures as he attempted turned out to be directed against certain classes and groups. In addition there were various scandalous affairs, all too numerous in his ill-ordered way of life."

Why Lightning Variation

Electrical storms are generated by sudden and decided changes in atmospheric temperature. The upper atmosphere is always cold and such changes are much less frequent in winter time when the temperature near the earth is also low. Therefore lightning occurs more often in summer than in winter.

Remember

It's Your Town

YOU can do much to influence what others think of it.

Praise it.

Improve it.

Talk about it.

Trade at home.

Be public spirited.

Take a home pride in it.

Tell of its business men.

Remember it is your home.

Trade and induce others to trade here.

When strangers come to town treat them well.

Don't call your best citizens frauds and impostors.

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Coal's Value as Fuel
Known for Centuries

The use of coal as a fuel in England, Belfast and China goes back to the Middle Ages or even earlier. Although coal is mentioned in a number of places in the Bible, it seems that it refers to charcoal. Coal cinders found near ancient ruins in England furnish some evidence for the belief that the ancient Britons used coal before the Roman invasion of 54 B. C. It is said that the first accurate record of the use of coal in England was in 852 A. D.

In North America the first coal mine was opened in Virginia in 1750. Notwithstanding the use of coal in Europe for several hundred years and its use in America for a century and a half, it has been less than a century since it has become a public necessity and all-important in determining the development of countries.

The distribution of the coal deposits in the Americas, with the exception of Nova Scotia, are inland. The interior of North America contains extensive deposits, whereas the central portion of South America, including the Guianas, western Brazil, Paraguay and practically all of Uruguay contains no coal. The cordillera of both continents contain coal that occurs in many detached areas.

Why Ship Is Called "She"

In some of the older languages, such as Latin and Old German, from which modern languages have been derived, all inanimate objects were given masculine or feminine gender. In this way, the moon was feminine and a sun masculine, and among other things ship and other vehicles were given feminine gender. Modern languages have adopted the same idea.

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4.50-21	\$5.43	\$2.43	\$10.54
4.75-19	\$6.33	\$2.33	\$12.32
4.75-20	\$6.43	\$2.43	\$12.49
5.00-19	\$6.65	\$2.65	\$12.90
5.00-20	\$6.75	\$2.75	\$13.10
5.00-21	\$6.95	\$2.95	\$13.54
5.25-18	\$7.53	\$2.53	\$14.60
5.25-21	\$8.15	\$2.15	\$15.82
5.50-18	\$8.35	\$2.35	\$16.20
5.50-19	\$8.48	\$2.48	\$16.46
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6.00-22	\$11.60	\$3.60	\$22.50
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6.50-21	\$12.85	\$3.85	\$24.82
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4.40-21	\$3.95	\$1.55	\$8.98
4.50-21	\$4.95	\$2.55	\$9.98
4.75-19	\$4.63	\$2.63	\$9.44
5.00-19	\$4.85	\$2.85	\$9.44
5.25-21	\$5.98	\$3.98	\$11.64
Firestone			
COURIER TYPE			
Tire Size	Our Cost Per Tire	Special Road Test Price Per Tire	Our Cost Per Ply
4.40-21	\$3.10	\$1.10	\$8.98
4.50-21	\$3.55	\$1.55	\$9.98
5.25-21	\$2.89	\$2.89	\$7.75
Firestone			
TRUCK AND BUS TYPE			
Tire Size	Our Cost Per Tire	Special Road Test Price Per Tire	Our Cost Per Ply
30x8-15	\$15.35	\$15.35	\$29.74
32x8-15	\$20.50	\$20.50	\$41.00
34x8-15	\$26.40	\$26.40	\$50.60
36x8-15	\$31.65	\$31.65	\$60.20
6.00-20	\$11.65	\$11.65	\$22.60
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Mrs. Viola Roberts
Mrs. Norman Sanborn
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Margaret Carter wa
the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou
Lowiston Saturday.
William Wright is
University of Maine.
Mrs. Addie Farwell
Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Millie Clark
Tuesday to attend the
cousin, Llewellyn Ho
Mrs. Andrew Gale
is visiting her sister,
Jin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie
moved into the Plafst
man-Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Gay
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day.

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Berlin one day last
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Mrs. R. C. Dalzell
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Gilman Chapman
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Mrs. Mary C. Wilso
B. Chapman are in F
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Mrs. Fannie C.
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Gunther, Saturday n
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land were the week
and Mrs. E. P. Brow
Mrs. Florence Hur
Jug friends in Port
days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl
Paris were Sunday &
Mrs. Harry Hutchin
Rev. W. R. Patten
was in town Monday
and spent the night
Songo Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesl
the week end at Bar
of their daughter, M
er.

Mr. and Mrs. W.
land were guests
Ralph Young Tuesd
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